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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

MICHAEL JAMES MARTIN.

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CR<sub>No.</sub> 03 20001 JW

VIOLATIONS: 18 U.S.C. § 287 – False Claim Against the United States

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# INDICTMENT

The Grand Jury charges:

Defendant.

<u>COUNT ONE</u>: (18 U.S.C. § 287 - False Claim Against the United States)

On or about January 11, 1998, in the Northern District of California, and elsewhere, the defendant

# MICHAEL JAMES MARTIN

did make and present to the Internal Revenue Service, Department of the Treasury, an agency and department of the United States, a claim against it for a refund of income taxes paid contained in a Form 1040 prepared for the 1996 tax year, knowing such claim to be false and fictitious, to wit; defendant filed a tax return in which he claimed an exclusion for income earned from a foreign jurisdiction, the "Republic of California," in violation of Title 18, United States Code, Section

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# ATTACHMENT US v. MICHAEL JAMES MARTIN

<u>COUNT ONE</u>: Title 18, United States Code, Section 287-False Claim Against the United States;

<u>COUNT TWO</u>: Title 18, United States Code, Section 287-False Claim Against the United States:

<u>COUNT THREE</u>: Title 18, United States Code, Section 287-False Claim Against the United States:

<u>COUNT FOUR</u>: Title 18, United States Code, Section 287-False Claims Against the United States:

COUNT FIVE: Title 18, United States Code, Section 287-False Claims Against the United States;

<u>COUNT SIX</u>: Title 18 United States Code, Section 287-False Claims Against the United States;

COUNT SEVEN: Title 18, United States Code, Section 287-False Claims Against the United States.

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COUNT TWO: (18 U.S.C. § 287 - False Claim Against the United States)

On or about March 16, 1998, in the Northern District of California, and elsewhere, the defendant

#### MICHAEL JAMES MARTIN

did make and present to the Internal Revenue Service, Department of the Treasury, an agency and department of the United States, a claim against it for a refund of income taxes paid contained in a Form 1040 prepared for the 1997 tax year, knowing such claim to be false and fictitious, to wit; defendant filed a tax return in which he claimed an exclusion for income earned from a foreign jurisdiction, the "Republic of California," in violation of Title 18, United States Code, Section 287.

COUNT THREE: (18 U.S.C. § 287 - False Claim Against the United States)

On or about March 3, 1999, in the Northern District of California, and elsewhere, the defendant

## MICHAEL JAMES MARTIN

did make and present to the Internal Revenue Service, Department of the Treasury, an agency and department of the United States, a claim against it for a refund of income taxes paid contained in a Form 1040 prepared for the 1998 tax year, knowing such claim to be false and fictitious, to wit; defendant filed a tax return in which he claimed an exclusion for income earned from a foreign jurisdiction, the "Republic of California," in violation of Title 18, United States Code, Section 287.

COUNT FOUR: (18 U.S.C. § 287 - False Claim Against the United States)

On or about April 27, 2001, in the Northern District of California, and elsewhere, the defendant

#### MICHAEL JAMES MARTIN

did make and present to the Internal Revenue Service, Department of the Treasury, an agency and department of the United States, a claim against it for a refund of income taxes paid contained in a Form 1040X prepared for the 1998 tax year, knowing such claim to be false and fictitious, to

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wit; defendant filed an amended tax return in which he claimed an exclusion for income earned from a foreign jurisdiction, the "Republic of California," in violation of Title 18, United States Code, Section 287.

COUNT FIVE: (18 U.S.C. § 287 -- False Claim Against the United States)

On or about June 27, 2001, in the Northern District of California, and elsewhere, the defendant

#### MICHAEL JAMES MARTIN

did make and present to the Internal Revenue Service, Department of the Treasury, an agency and department of the United States, a claim against it for a refund of income taxes paid contained in a Form 1040X prepared for the 1998 tax year, knowing such claim to be false and fictitious, to wit, defendant filed an amended tax return in which he claimed an exclusion for income earned from a foreign jurisdiction, the "Republic of California," in violation of Title 18, United States Code, Section 287.

COUNT SIX: (18 U.S.C. § 287 - False Claim Against the United States)

On or about April 22, 2001, in the Northern District of California, and elsewhere, the defendant

#### MICHAEL JAMES MARTIN

did make and present to the Internal Revenue Service, Department of the Treasury, an agency and department of the United States, a claim against it for a refund of income taxes paid contained in a Form 1040 prepared for the 1999 tax year, knowing such claim to be false and fictitious, to wit; defendant filed a tax return in which he claimed an exclusion for income earned from a foreign jurisdiction, the "Republic of California," in violation of Title 18, United States Code. Section 287.

COUNT SEVEN: (18 U.S.C. § 287 -- False Claim Against the United States)

On or about June 11, 2001, in the Northern District of California, and elsewhere, the defendant

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did make and present to the Internal Revenue Service, Department of the Treasury, an agency and

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1 department of the United States, a claim against it for a refund of income taxes paid contained in 2 a Form 1040 prepared for the 2000 tax year, knowing such claim to be false and fictitious, to wit; defendant filed a tax return in which he claimed an exclusion for income earned from a foreign 3 jurisdiction, the "Republic of California," in violation of Title 18, United States Code, Section 4 5 287. ε DATED: A TRUE BILL. 7 Mulson 8 9 10 KEVIN V. RYAN United States Attorney 11 12 13 Chief, San Jose Branch Office 14 1.5 (Approved as to form: ACSA Jensen 15 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28

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